

OGC HAS REVIEWED.

MEMORANDUM FOR: **THE DIRECTOR**

Attached is a revised edition of a Secrecy Agreement which was previously discussed with you by Mr. Houston. In substance it is essentially the same. However, it is my understanding that you had raised the question of whether or not we could require as a condition of employment that no manuscript or speech relating to the Agency be made without Agency approval. In our opinion, such an agreement has little legal validity, and in the final analysis, we must return to the point of whether or not the information is or is not classified. I shall be glad to discuss this further, if desired. If you approve of the present form, we will have it published in accordance with normal procedures.


Acting General Counsel 22 October 1954
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